

REPUBLIC WILL SURVIVE SAYS CARD. GIBBONS

It Rests Upon the Eternal Principles of Truth and Justice.

AN INSPIRING ADDRESS

Loyalty to Country Urged at Great Catholic Mass Meeting.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—James Cardinal Gibbons delivered an address before a mass meeting at Madison Square Garden tonight, as one of the features of the Catholic Week program of the American Federation of Catholic Societies. He said, in part:

"You live in a republic where there is liberty without license, and authority without despotism; and where the civil rulers hold over you the aegis of their protection without interfering with the God-given rights of conscience."

"In view of the signal blessings you enjoy, it is your duty to take an active, personal, vital interest in the welfare of your country. You should glory in her prosperity, and be concerned at every adversity that may befall her. You should hold up the arms of those who are charged with the administration of public affairs, as the children of Israel held up the hands of Moses while he interceded for them before the Lord."

"The inspired word of God enjoins this loyalty to country, and reverence for its rulers. The religion you profess demands this fealty. The constitutions of your respective societies uphold it, and I am sure that there is not a single fibre of your heart which does not pulsate with a genuine, undivided love for the republic, and its sacred traditions."

"I venture to say that every member of your society is a loyal citizen. Every citizen a patriot; every patriot a soldier; every soldier a hero; and every hero would be a martyr, to die for his country."

"There are some pessimistic prophets who are in the habit of predicting the downfall of our Republic. They are more frequently heard on the eve of a presidential election. I have been listening to these dire forebodings for over fifty years, but on the morning after election, we find, the prophets sounded a false alarm, that the country is safe, and that the government is transacting business at the same old stand."

"For my part, I have an abiding faith in the endurance of the republic. I might base my hope on the intelligence and patriotism of the American people. I might base my confidence on the wisdom of our statesmen and the heroism of our soldiers. I might place my reliance on our standing armies and dreadnoughts. And surely these are all elements of strength to be reckoned with."

"But, my friends, if the republic is to endure, it must rest on a stronger foundation than the intelligence and patriotism of our citizens, the wisdom of our statesmen, the heroism of our soldiers, our armies and dreadnoughts. It must rest on the eternal principles of truth and justice, and righteousness, and downright honesty in our relations with foreign nations. It must rely on our firm belief in an overruling Providence who created all things by His Power, governs all things by His Wisdom, and who controls the affairs of nations as well as of man."

"I have lived for many years, and the older I grow, the more I am convinced that a supreme power intervenes in the affairs of mankind. For if a sparrow does not fall to the ground without His consent how can we hope that an empire will rise without His co-operation?"

"This is the spirit that has marked the history of our nation from Washington to Wilson. It is a gratifying fact that all our Presidents from first to last have never failed to recognize and invoke the moral governor of the world, especially in their inaugural proclamations."

"Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin maketh a people miserable."

AT CAMP DAWSON.

Miss Mary Mooney and Miss Laura Watson returned today from Camp Dawson on Cheat river at Rowlesburg, where they have been spending the past two weeks. Other Fairmonters now at this camp are Misses Octavia Hunt, Claudia Layman, Ruth Phillips, and Hazel McKinney, Harold Reppart, Raymond Fisher, Jay Snoderly and Jack Ferguson. The party is chaperoned by Mrs. M. E. Layman.

William S. Magee Killed by an Auto

(By Associated Press)

CANNONBURG, Pa., Aug. 21.—William S. Magee, assistant superintendent of the Manufacturers' Light and Heat company, was instantly killed when his automobile went over an embankment near Morgan early today. He was thrown free of the machine and his neck broken. He was very well known among natural gas men of Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister.

MR. FRA RIGGS AND FAMILY.

MRS. Wm. McCONKEY.

Town Talk

Special Officer—Lawrence E. Baker was sworn in today, to act as special officer to handle the crowds during the Fair.

Utztown Wants Water—At a meeting of the city Board of Affairs this morning the citizens of Utztown asked for water. Their wells and streams have run dry and they need water pumped to them. The nearest city water tap to Utztown is but 600 feet away and the Board looks favorably upon the extension. However no action was taken and the meeting of the Board postponed until this afternoon. This action was taken because of the mayor and Commissioner Lehman being forced to leave the meeting to attend to more urgent business.

Motored to Washington—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Meredith and their guests, Misses Grace and Lillian Martin, of Shinnston, and Miss Lucy Meredith motored yesterday to Washington, Pa., by way of Blacksburg and Waynesburg. On the return trip, by another route, they passed through Brownsburg, Uniontown, Point Marion and Morgantown. The roads were excellent which rendered the trip very enjoyable.

Cook Hospital Notes—Mr. Leeper, of Farmington, is at home today, after having been confined in Cook hospital for several weeks under the care of Drs. Smith and Fleming. Mrs. Michael, of 409 A street, a surgical patient of Dr. L. D. Howard, returned home yesterday. Margaret Sharfenter, of Farmington, a surgical patient of Dr. Smith and Howard, returned home yesterday. Opal Toothman, of Barrackville, who was operated on for tonsillitis by Drs. Smith and Fleming, is back at her home today. Dr. L. D. Howard's operation in grafting the finger of J. R. Sheridan was successful and Mr. Sheridan returned home today.

Sidewalk Fly Trap—A large fly trap ingeniously constructed with bananas for bait is catching thousands of flies each day on Madison street. Dr. A. Hammit, the machine-thapist in the Murphy-Deveny building constructed the trap from screen wire and placed it to catch the flies that are attracted by the grocery and meat market orders from the first floor of the same building.

Tetrick-Sturm Reunion.—Many members of the family and friends from Fairmont attended the sixth annual reunion of the Tetrick and Sturm families held yesterday at the Sturm school house near Viropa in Harrison county. Plenty of good things to eat with an interesting program of talks by the prominent members of the family made the day an enjoyable one for all present.

Another Fairmont Farms—D. A. Ritchie, who is the owner of a farm in Potter county, Pa., has named the place "Fairmont Farms" after his home town. Mr. Ritchie recently purchased three farms near Ulysses in Potter county and has equipped them for the conducting of a modern sanitary dairy. Milking machines and all manner of labor saving devices are used on the place which consists of more than 400 acres.

Winfield Sunday Schools—A delightful program was given yesterday at the Winfield Sunday school rally held in the Fairview church and in the East Run church. L. W. Morgan, president of the association in this district, and Ethel Moran is secretary. J. M. Jacobs and E. J. Thomas, of Fairmont, attended the East Run rally.

Suffragist Speaks—Miss Theresa Malkiel, a suffragist speaker from New York city, addressed a large audience in the County Court room last evening. The subject of the talk was "Women's Suffrage and Socialism" and Miss Malkiel held the closest attention of her audience.

Sobered up in Jail—Frank Masurick of Grant Town, was brought to Fairmont yesterday for a rest. He was ordered to stay until he sobered up this morning. When he came to he was taken before Squire M. R. Musgrove and fined \$1 and costs amounting in all to \$7.80.

Man From Texas at Colonial Today

Jack Hutchinson's musical comedy company opens this afternoon at the Colonial with the "Man from Texas" as the bill. This company was obtained after much search for a suitable offering for Fair week and the well drilled chorus of comely girls is sure to please the patrons. "Sunny Broom Farm" and "The Girl from Broadway" are the musical tabloid pieces that will be seen the latter part of the week when the program is changed on Wednesday and Friday.

SON OF MORGAN A CITIZEN JACK TAR



JUNIOR SPENCER MORGAN

One of the hundreds of "Jackies" on the U. S. S. Maine, taking part in the citizen naval cruise, is the son of J. Pierpont Morgan, financier.

PERSONALS

Miss Inez Jacobs, who had spent the past week in New York city, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. L. Lightner, in Terra Alta. Miss Mary Byrne who accompanied her to New York, is visiting relatives at Cumberland and Frostburg, Md.

Mrs. Clarence D. Mitchell, wife of the pastor of the Central Christian church, sustained a painful injury to her ankle last evening while descending the stairway after the evening services. In some manner Mrs. Mitchell missed the bottom step and fell to the street twisting her ankle severely. Miss Byrd Kelley returned home last night from Chicago where she visited relatives. Miss Kelley was accompanied home by her cousin Miss Verran Dent who will be her guest.

Miss Iva McKinney of Fairmont, arrived home Friday evening from Canaan valley where she had spent the last two weeks, being called home by the death of Mrs. Ed. Riggs of Locust Avenue.

Misses Matilda and Myrtle McKinney came home Saturday night after having spent the past three weeks in Philadelphia, Canaan Valley and Flemington. At Flemington they were the guests at a house party given by the Misses Adah and Oma Springer. Other guests were Miss Bess Isenhardt of Clarksburg, Miss Bess Thompson of Reynoldsville, Miss Mary Cather and Miss Norma Lowe.

PARKER RUN.

Mrs. Joseph Cox of Mt. Hood has been spending a few days with Mrs. Minnie Arnett.

Mrs. Belle Drake and Mrs. Sallie Baker of Indiana spent a few days with their uncle John Hayhurst and other relatives of this place this week.

Mrs. Eddie Clark of Ritchie county and Mrs. Rhoda Wilson spent a few days last week with their brother C. N. Wilson and were also calling on Mrs. Esta Wilson.

Mrs. Ellen Fear of Fairmont was calling on her daughter Mrs. Grace Noy Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Sarah Horn spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Mrs. Maggie Toothman.

Mrs. Shucks of Fairmont, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McOlvin of Terra Alta, Mrs. Gold of Clarksburg and George Christy of Kingmont have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Christy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris a son Monday August 14. Both mother and son are getting along very nicely.

Miss Jettie Swisher of Catawba has been spending a few days with her cousin Madge Harris and was also calling on Virgie Noy on Sunday.

Harey Hayhurst who has been in Cook hospital for some time was able to be brought home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris and children spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith.

Quite a number of the people of this place attended the Hunt's show at Rivesville Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fleming and son Harry spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Toothman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powell and son Albert spent Tuesday evening with Morgan Mines.

Miss Gertrude Harris who has been staying with her uncle at Annabelle spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris.

Mrs. Amy Wilson and Mrs. Minnie

Arnett spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Noy.

Mrs. Louie Morris spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Dickey of Bassettville.

Mrs. Henry Mataseny spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter Mrs. Mary Page of Rivesville.

Mrs. Cora Straight spent one day this week with her mother Mrs. Wildman of Arnettville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Summers and children Misses Eetta West, Jessie Smith and brother Jennings spent Sunday with W. E. Smith.

THE LETTER LIST

List of letters remaining on hand in the Fairmont postoffice Saturday, August 19:

Brown, Frank Nauder, Chas.  
Bartholow, Eula Orthofer, Henry  
Bell, W. G. O'Brien, Dick  
Colborn, W. G. Probst, Chas.  
Doenaugh, Leona Powell, Lon  
Edwards, H. T. Parker, Mrs. Bertha  
Evans, W. C. Faelchle & Sons, Pallotte, Joe  
C. F. Rowe, Susan  
Fluharty, Lillie Ross, Tony  
Fredenburg, David Red Lion Kennels  
Gaskins, R. L. Smith, Mrs. Everline  
Green, Jimmie Scott, Mrs. C. E.  
Hawkins, Leroy Stutter, Bessie  
Hinkle, Mrs. Shaver, Anna  
Walter Hughes, Ina Snider, Mrs. D. C.  
Hammett, Lillian Snider, Mrs.  
Israel, Naylor Snider, Mrs.  
Jones, Mrs. Amy Sarah  
Johns, H. C. Sturgis, W. C.  
Johnson, Truman Scott, Tom  
E. Shear, Mrs. H. D.  
Kearns, Mrs. Maggie Schaal, Gottlieb  
Ludwick, Mrs. Smith, Madge  
Mollie Gantz St. vart, Mary L.  
Loepcevic, C. O. Tucker, Lillie  
Mitchell, Frank Underwood, Roy  
Morris, Engineer Villers, Mr. J. M.  
W. A. Washington.  
Major, Madge E. Helen  
McInting, Alex. Wilson, Marion  
McKinnon, Henry Whitaker, Miss I.  
Marcus, Sam Wroe, Susan  
Morgan, Mr. C. F. Williams, Purcell  
Nuzum, Mr. C. C. Young, Miss E.  
Nuce, Mrs. B. C. Zinn, Blaine

Persons calling for the above letters will please state that same have been advertised, and give date of advertisement.

High Lights on European War

PARIS, Aug. 21.—The Germans delivered a violent attack on Fleury, near Verdun last night using flaming liquids without results.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 21.—The Russians have made further advances at some points along the Stokhod line where they broke through the Austro-Hungarian defenses last week. The capture of more than 1,300 men in this region in two days is reported.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 21.—On the Caucasian front, the Russians have captured a series of heights and taken prisoner a large number of Turks. The statement follows: "The fighting in the direction of Diarbekr is developing favorably for us. We captured a series of heights which had been fortified strongly by Turks and took a large number of prisoners."

FRANCE, Aug. 21.—Not only have the British held all the gains made in the Saturday night attack through the critical second day and night following, but they have made another important gain. This morning they are within five hundred yards of Martinpuich as result of taking a trench which had held them up between Pozieres and Highwood.

President to Spend Two Months in Jersey

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—President Wilson plans to spend practically all September and October at Shadow Lawn, the summer White House in New Jersey.

Removal of office furniture from the executive offices to quarters engaged for clerks at Abery Park was begun today. Practically the entire office force of the White House will go.

Rainstorm Breaks Force of Heat Wave

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A rainstorm which developed in the plains states and is moving northeast over the Missouri valley is bringing relief from the heat wave that has hung over the middle west since Friday, officials of the government weather bureau said today. In Chicago the temperature was 92 at ten a. m.

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| Men's Low Shoes, W. L. Douglas and King Quality Brands, values up to \$5...   | 2.94 | Ladies' beautiful Georgette, Crepe Waists, white or flesh. Special for     | 2.98 |
| Men's Union Suits of Nainsook, Mesh or Balbriggan, all sizes. Special for     | 39c  | Ladies' Charmeuse Silk Skirts, newest Fall styles, special for             | 5.75 |
| Men's Silk Front Shirts, attractive patterns up to \$1.25 values. Special for | 75c  | Ladies' Silk Fibre Sweater Coats, solid or combination colors. Special for | 4.98 |

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City Hall Notes

Harry Hill's Wild West Show received permits this morning from the city clerk to parade each day of the Fair from the Fair grounds to the court house and back. The Wild West show is stationed on the midway and is one of the Fair's best attractions.

According to a ruling made by the city autos and other vehicles going to and from the Fair will take the Morgantown avenue road going out and will follow the Speedway and East Park avenue coming back. This was done so that there would be no congestion of traffic at Water, Merchant and Morgantown, as well as permit autos to have the entire road to and from the Fair.

Persons running taxi service to and from the Fair and who live outside the city limits will be forced to take out city license tags for the year. An injustice has heretofore been done taxi drivers of Fairmont inasmuch as they are forced to pay city licenses and those who live out of town and bring their Fords to town to make money on Fair days have not paid.

Regarding the license issued to cars owned by residents of the city, the City Board of Affairs decided this morning informally that all persons operating autos in the city without the required city license will be arrested and fined. There will be no exceptions to this ruling and no excuses will be taken for those pinched without their tags.

Succumbs on Train.

CLARKSBURG, Aug. 21.—Mrs. J. W. Woodell, wife of the manager of the Waldo hotel here died suddenly aboard a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train Saturday afternoon near Jane Lew while en route to this city from Webster Springs where she had gone for the benefit of her health. She was critically ill two months ago, but apparently was nearing recovery. The husband and four small children survive her.

they will poll in their banner counties will be any larger than that polled in 1912 and only a little greater than that polled in 1914.

There are a number of doubtful counties, including Monongalia, Cabell, Wirt, Clay and Doddridge, and from these the claims are varied. It is difficult to tell at this time how the political wind will blow in these, nor just what agencies foreign to the direct issues will enter into the campaign.

The fact that West Virginia Republicans are not pleased with the National administration, will induce many of those who are at times disposed to split their ticket, to let their votes go in straight this time. They show a wish now to get West Virginia representation in the National Congress of one complexion again and because of this but few chances will be taken by the rock-ribbed brand of Republicans with cutting any name that is on their ticket.

One of the strong points brought out by the Democracy hinges on the Virginia Debt situation. The heavy cannonading with this gun has not been opened yet, and as it is expected there will be a ready and vigorous response. The Republicans have established headquarters in Clarksburg and will have a branch in Charleston within a short time. The foundation has been laid for the campaign, and everything is in readiness to start stamping the state by prominent party men, not later than September 15. Arrangements have been made for the introduction in West Virginia of a number of eminent Republicans who have never been sent here before. The Democrats also are relying on some

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